

## A WORD TO HOUSEWIVES

Do you wonder, when you shop for groceries, why certain prices stay high?

We've had two bumper food-crop years. Nearly everything for the table is in abundant supply.

Actually, the situation has eased even more than the figures on American production would show. Europe also has had two good seasons, and is coming much nearer to raising all the food she needs. Our food exports have fallen off. That means still more food available for American families.

Yet wheat products are largely right up to where they were in wartimes. Some bakery goods is higher today than when there was a real shortage of flour.

Meats are cheaper, of course. So are some vegetables. Yet other products are high.

How come?

This is a time of the year when ordinarily both butter and eggs are lowest in price. Production runs high at this season. Yet eggs are selling at what used to be considered the fantastic price of 60 to 70 cents a dozen, and butter is about the same per pound.

Now, if you are forced to pay prices like that for foods which normally ought to be selling for twenty or thirty cents less, it is just about the same as if somebody robbed the purse, or tea-cup, or what-have-you that you use to keep your household money in.

When you have to pay unreasonably high prices for food, your allowance doesn't go as far as it should—or you have to use money for food which you ought to have free for other things you need.

Certainly you have a right to know the facts about what makes some of the grocery prices so unreasonably high.

There's no real mystery about it. The facts are easy to find, if you look for them. On the other hand, those who are busy keeping the prices up aren't exactly bragging about it. Their reports are made public, but they show up in the back pages of the big-city newspapers.

We mentioned the subject of butter and eggs, both of which are in very big supply at this season, and yet which are selling at famine prices in the grocery stores.

The answer to these two food prices can be found, if you are interested, in a small item on page 41 of Friday's New York Times.

This dispatch mentions the fact that on May 4, Uncle Sam broke all records since the War by buying up 234,435 pounds of butter in a single day.

Your "servants" at Washington bought at the arbitrary price of 59 cents for Grade A and 57 cents for Grade B. That's the wholesale price, which means a 20 per cent mark-up (roughly) by the time it reaches your hands.

Now, this keeps the butter price high in two ways. First, no one is going to sell his butter for 30 cents, say, if the government is paying 59 and 57 cents. But also, when the government moves in and buys up a surplus, as it is doing in the case of butter, the effect is to turn a bumper crop into a famine.

You don't even get the benefit of whatever savings would result from competition after the wholesale price is fixed. You are a buyer in a sellers' market; you meet the price, or you do without butter.

Exactly the same situation is described in the Times account of the government's meddling with the egg market. The boys at Washington report that already this season they have bought up 119,100,000 dozen eggs, at "pegged" prices having nothing to do either with costs of production nor with supply and demand. Prices on eggs, as paid by Uncle Sam (in competition with you) range upward from 35 cents for general-run ungraded eggs.

Let's look a little further into this question. First, where does the government get the money to buy butter and eggs?

That's easy. It collects it in taxes. YOU PAID YOUR SHARE! Probably you paid a great deal more than you think; many of the taxes are cleverly hidden.

Do you see how that works out? YOU PAY HIGH TAXES TO KEEP YOUR PRICES HIGH!

Another point: a great many people seem to think that this "price-support" business is just a temporary scheme to tide things over till they work themselves back to normal.

Is that so? Certainly not.

Eggs and butter are more plentiful this year, not because there was really a bigger demand for them, but because dairy-men and poultrymen thought they had a sure thing in the government's promise to buy up unlimited quantities at fancy prices.

Farmers are drifting away from working for the consumers, and into the business of working for the government.

The longer this keeps up, the bigger it will get. The bigger it gets, the more taxes you will have to pay—and the higher the prices will be (because the price has to cover the taxes of other people involved).

It's a vicious circle. And it's a never-ending process. Once we're in it, we're in it for keeps. There's no handy "getting-off" place. Your great grand-children could be going through this

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## Penndel Council Holds Routine Monthly Session

PENNDDEL, May 7—The meeting of Borough Council was called to order by the president. Those in attendance included the following: Frank Brelford, John Lappan, Julius Lieblin, Charles O'Brien, Frank Sodano, Burgess Joseph Downing and George Morris were also in attendance.

The street committee reported that it had made a survey of the streets in the borough and considerable patch work will have to be done in the near future.

Visitors for the evening included the following: William McMath, Samuel Sodano and Joseph DiOrio.

A resolution to adopt the plans submitted by the State for the construction of Bristol avenue was presented. It was moved and seconded to adopt same.

It was moved and seconded to exonerate the tax collector, Alexander Knox, of all outstanding taxes to be remitted for 1948, as of May 31, 1949.

## Fire Apparatus Hosing To Take Place Tonight

LANGHORNE, May 7—Many firemen and other residents of Langhorne borough and nearby communities are planning to attend the ceremonies at six o'clock tonight, marking the housing of Langhorne Fire Company fire truck and auxiliary truck.

The highlight of the evening will be the presentation of the trucks by A. Wildman, oldest living fire company president here; with acceptance on the part of Pierson M. Canby, oldest living Langhorne fire chief. The truck is to officially be housed by George Bilger of William Penn Fire Co., Humesville.

J. Leon Wells has prepared a history of the fire company, which appears on souvenir programs, the company dating back to 1829. Other participants will be: Welcomes, Burgess George Mather and Fire Co. president Russell Pidecock; the Rev. Russell Hummel, former pastor of Langhorne Methodist Church, invocation.

A parade will be part of the ceremony.

## HERE AND THERE IN BUCKS COUNTY TOWNS

### Activities of Interest To All in The Various Communities

#### GLEAINED BY SCRIBES

**NEWPORTVILLE**  
Mrs. Russell Shoemaker was hostess to the Friendship Club at her home on Wednesday afternoon.

**TULLYTOWN**  
Mrs. Victoria Piroli visited her sister in Philadelphia on Tuesday.

**EDDINGTON**  
Mr. Vogelman was removed to Jeanes Hospital, Philadelphia, on Thursday by Bucks Co. Rescue Squad, he having acute appendicitis.

**CROYDON**  
Mrs. George Sperling spent Tuesday in Frankford, visiting Mrs. George Spittall.

Mrs. Sally Green, of Bristol, and Mrs. M. Anna Keeley, of Croydon, were Wednesday dinner guests of Mrs. Anna M. Moran.

#### CORNWELLS HEIGHTS

Visitors for a time of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Otto are their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy C. Otto, Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. Benjamin Hughes, Sr., is a patient in Frankford Hospital, Philadelphia, where she will undergo an operation shortly.

Mrs. Herbert Ackman is recuperating nicely from an attack of virus pneumonia.

Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hibbs were Mr. and Mrs. William News, Feasterville.

Mrs. Samuel Howell, Sr., has returned from Abington Hospital. The home of Mr. and Mrs. William Madden has been greatly improved by application of brick-style shingles.

#### CHANGE "CLEAN-UP" COLLECTION DATES

It is announced that there will be two collection days in Bristol next week by the industrial trucks for aiding in the "Clean-Up" campaign. On Monday, May 9th, trash will be collected in wards 3, 4 and 5; and on Friday, May 13th, trash will be collected in wards 1, 2 and 6.

The change is made, it is stated, due to too little material of the type not gathered in the regular trash collections to warrant a truck making a trip each day. If any rubbish of this type is missed, calls may be made to Clyde Waterman, 2823, or Dr. Mary Windus, 6650.

#### CHANGE IN SERVICE

Place of funeral service for Raymond S. Miller, Jr., is changed to 542 Bath street, with rites at two p. m., Monday afternoon.

#### TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water ..... 11:35 a. m.  
Low water ..... 6:04 a. m.; 6:39 p. m.

## Pays Call; Finds That A Shower is Arranged

CROYDON, May 7—A miscellaneous bridal shower was tendered Miss Rheyra Leary on Wednesday evening by Mrs. Elmer Pickford, sister of the bridegroom-to-be, at her Philadelphia home. Miss Leary, stopping in for a short visit on her way home from a shopping trip, was surprised to find the group gathered in her honor.

A white parasol on the floor covered the gifts. The table centerpiece was a bride doll with wedding bells suspended overhead.

Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. William Gigger and children, Jerry, Arlene and Gene, Croydon; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams, of Neshaunim Falls; Mrs. Karl Leary, Croydon; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pickford and daughters Barbara and Beverly; Mrs. Walter Williams, Robert and Walter Williams, Mrs. William Englehart, Philadelphia.

## ROBERT LANDS HURT WHEN CAR HITS TREE

Is in Serious Condition in The Nazareth Hospital, Philadelphia

### CRASH AT EDDINGTON

EDDINGTON, May 7—A resident of Newportville road is in serious condition, as the result of an automobile accident which occurred early last evening, according to state police at Langhorne barracks. The injured:

Robert Lands, possible fracture of skull and concussion.

Police state that Lands was driving an automobile east on Bristol Pike when he lost control, ran off the highway, struck a tree and overturned on the property of Samuel Fleming, here. The car was demolished.

The injured was taken to Nazareth Hospital, Philadelphia, by Bucks Co. Rescue Squad.

## Poems and Songs Honor Mothers; Prizes Awarded

TULLYTOWN, May 7 — A meeting of Tullytown Home and School League was held in the school house on Tuesday evening with a Mothers Day program arranged. The program was opened with a reading to honor Mothers by Mrs. Walter Strouse; recitations, "Welcome," Harold Swangler; "What I Said," Catherine Diecko; "My Price," Joan Book; "To Honor Our Mothers," Jean Scancella; piano solo, Edward Paoella; "Mother's Wish," Douglas Kaiser; "A Wish For Grandma," Alice Keeler; song "Mother," Mary Giberson and Violet Trimble; "Mother's Mother," Mary Ann Green; "My Resolve," Ruth Stake; "Where Is," Arthur Schaffer; "Good Resolutions," Margaret Feehly; "Mothers A Housewife" Rose Ann Ternynia; solo, "That Old Irish Mother O Mine," Mrs. Howard Mitchell.

Prizes were given to the oldest mother, youngest mother, mother with the most children in school, mother with birthday nearest to mother's day, mother with youngest child, mother longest residing in Tullytown, and there were many other surprises.

Plans were made for the final lawn of Mrs. Strouse's home, meeting of the season in June, on this will be in the form of a picnic supper at which election of officers will take place.

Each member is asked to make reservations by June 1st. At the close of the meeting, refreshments of ice cream and cupcakes were served by Mrs. William Swangler, Mrs. John Waterick and Mrs. William Harth. About 40 were present.

#### HULMEVILLE

On Wednesday evening, Mrs. Horace Tomlinson will entertain members of her sewing club.

The May meeting of the official board, Neshaunim Methodist Church, will be held on Monday evening at the home of William Gotthardt, Emille road.

Use Want Ads for Results

## UNION LEADERS PREDICT TODAY STRIKERS WILL RATIFY PEACE TERMS

PHILADELPHIA, May 7—Union leaders predicted today that 6500 striking Philco Corp. workers will ratify peace terms ending the five-day walkout in 22 Philadelphia plants.

Agreement was reached late last night between the radio-television firm and Locals 101 and 102, CIO United Electric Workers. James B. Carey, CIO international secretary-treasurer, was among the conferees. A mass meeting of the member-

ship was set for tomorrow afternoon to vote upon the settlement, and details of the pact were not immediately disclosed.

Company officials announced that the "understanding" provides for resumption of production on Monday morning.

The workers walked out last Monday to enforce demands for a 15-cent hourly wage boost and a pension plan. Philco spokesmen said the company could not afford pay increases at this time.

## PAST PRESIDENTS HONORED BY CLUB AT GALA PROGRAM

Outstanding Events of The Regimes Are Recalled in Rhymes

### THE TRAVEL CLUB

Former Presidents Wear Hats Suggestive of The Administrative Periods

A profusion of flowers, musical selections of by-gone days, "party" refreshments, rhymes informing of outstanding events during terms of former presidents with charming responses on the part of many of those who had held that office—all combined to make the 48th anniversary and past presidents' day of the Travel Club one long to be remembered.

The gala affair, held in the Travel Club home yesterday afternoon followed a luncheon in which several past presidents participated, and which was served at the Penn Manor Club. Those attending the luncheon, and who hope to make such an annual custom, are: Mrs. E. Linton Martin, Mrs. Harry T. Neher, Mrs. Frank Lehman, Mrs. Theodore B. Megarke, Sr., Mrs. Henry E. Ancker, Mrs. David M. Sheerer, Jr., and the present incumbent, Mrs. Elwood P. Goslin.

Vases of blossoms, in a variety of colors, had been attractively arranged about the club home, while on the platform was an arch of greens and wisteria, through which the participating past presidents or their designated representatives made their entrance, there to hear in poetic style from the lips of Mrs. Henry E. Ancker, information on their term in office, and side-lights on their personalities and talents. Music interspersed the parts, with songs of the periods marked being used. The musicians were Mrs. Claire VanSoest, Mrs. Roland Carlson, Mrs. Donald Moyer and Mrs. Albert Dowden.

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## HIGHLIGHTS, COUNTY SEAT BUDGET, GIVEN

### Calls for 3 Mills Increase in School Tax For 1949-50

THE TOTAL IS \$282,877

DOYLESTOWN, May 6 — Highlights of the 1949-50 budget for Doylestown school district are revealed by supervising principal J. Edward Smith. The budget is expected to be adopted on Monday, May 23rd.

A three mills increase is called for, with per capita tax remaining at \$5. It is pointed out that by the time the board adopts the budget, directors will know whether legislation will call for increased mandated salary to teachers.

Estimated expenditures call for: General control, \$5,218; instruction, \$190,775; auxiliary agencies and coordinate activities, \$9,650; operation of school plant, \$17,900; maintenance of school plant, \$19,020; fixed charges, \$9,687; debt service, \$12,090; capital outlay, \$27,617; or total expenditures of \$282,877.

Estimated receipts are listed thus: Property tax, \$100,000; per capita tax, \$13,500; delinquent tax, \$200; state appropriation, \$74,500; tuition, \$55,000; miscellaneous, \$3,100; balance from 1948 bond issue, \$21,277. Cash balance at present is given as \$15,300.

Dr. Smith pointed out that the budget will require a tax rate of 25 mills or \$2.50 per \$100 valuation. The present rate is 22 mills.

The assessed valuation is slightly over \$4,000,000.

Major increases in budget over last year for following items: Bonds due, \$5,500.00; salaries and cost of instruction, \$21,775.00; toward joint school—for architect and plans, \$12,000.00; use of bus—large part of which will be returned to district, \$2,500.00; replacement of typewriters, obsolete desks, etc., \$2,500.00; improvements to school property if feasible to be paid from bond money on hand, \$9,000.00.

To help meet increased expenditures there will be increases in State aid, \$7,000; tuition, \$6,000; cash balance, \$15,300; balance of 1948 bond, \$21,277.

#### STRAUS-PICA

A couple wed at the office of Justice of the Peace Edward Lynn on Monday, returned yesterday from a trip to Washington, D. C. The bride is the former Helen Pica, Lincoln avenue, and the bridegroom, Walter Straus, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Straus. They plan to reside at 407 Mill street.

## Luncheon, Installation And Address Are Enjoyed

The Sisterhood of Ahavath Achim held its annual luncheon at the Warwick Hotel, Philadelphia, on Wednesday, Mrs. Herman Silber, retiring president, was the presiding officer. The members enjoyed luncheon and listened to an address by Miss Rosalie Sampson, guest speaker.

Installation of the new officers was the highlight of the afternoon. Mrs. Nathan Grooms, president, Mrs. Martin J. Hopkins, vice-president, Mrs. Samuel Freedman, recording secretary, Mrs. Bernard Ballow, corresponding secretary, Mrs. Sydney Salloway, treasurer, Mrs. Leon Plavin, representative member.

The keynote of Mrs. Silber's speech concerned the Sisterhood's efforts and accomplishments for the new Bristol Jewish Center.

The luncheon arrangements were in charge of Mrs. Martin J. Hopkins and Mrs. Max R. Seigel.

## VILLAGE HAS CHANGED LITTLE IN 96 YEARS

Woman At Carversville Nearing the 100 Mark Recalls Old Times

### CIVIL WAR NEWS

CARVERSVILLE, May 7 — "I've always been contented!"

This seems to sum up one of the reasons for 96 long and happy years for Mrs. Helen Briggs Walton, a native of Gardenville, and who is a resident of this community.

The one getting well up toward the century mark, feels that "People are never satisfied nowadays. Even children seem to have nothing to do."

Mrs. Walton, who moved to Carversville with her parents when she was six years old, recalled that her father formed "up on the hillside." She adds that he used to walk down to the store where her husband many years later was the storekeeper, there to play checkers and talk with other men of the community. During the Civil War she says her father would bring home news about the war, and of the men who had entered the service.

Mrs. Walton remembered that she walked to Cottageville to attend school and, following graduation from there, attended the Excelsior Normal Institute, just around the bend of the road toward Lumberville, until she graduated at the age of 18.

For amusement, "We used to play games and croquet — and I loved to dance." She said, "A floor was laid in the woods up here" she pointed toward Doylestown, "and fiddlers would be brought up all the way from the city. But I didn't dance anymore after I joined church, when I was 19. In those days it wasn't approved—but I did like dancing!" The little old lady smiled like a naughty child.

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## FRED H. HIBBS GRADUATED

Fred H. Hibbs, seaman apprentice USN, son of Mrs. Fred K. Hibbs of Edgely Avenue, was recently graduated from the Enlisted Basic Submarine Course at the Submarine Base, New London, Conn. The purpose of the school is to prepare the students to become members of a submarine crew by giving them a foundation of basic knowledge of the equipment, principles and skills involved in operating a submarine.

## Men Are Waiters As Mothers Are Served

EDDINGTON, May 7—The first mother-daughter banquet was given in Eddington Presbyterian Church house on Thursday evening. The room was attractively decorated with a center of palms and large vases of lilies of the valley. These were illuminated with soft green lights. The settings were arranged for four at each table, with a floral centerpiece on each. Day paper tablecloths and napkins were used. Each daughter was called forward to receive a corsage which she pinned on her mother or "mother of the evening."

The menu consisted of fruit cup, Waldorf salad, chicken soup, chicken a la Newburg in patte shells, fresh asparagus, parsley potatoes, sliced tomatoes, deviled eggs, coffee roll and butter, strawberry shortcake with whipped cream. The men served as waiters for their families.

Between courses entertainment was provided. Mrs. Nelson Yewdall gave two amusing narrations. Mrs. Otto Grupp, Jr., led in group singing, accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Sargeant. Miss Sargeant sang "Mother Macgregor," accompanied by Miss Etta Vansant. The Rev. Arthur D. Sargis called for a rising vote of thanks to those women who had prepared the food for the banquet. It was decided to make such a banquet a yearly function. Mrs. Nelson Yewdall was appointed to head the 1950 event.

A large bell was rung between courses. Each table was provided with an individual bell for summoning the waiter.

Approximately 100 attended.

### Very Severe Storm Strikes Central Bucks

DOYLESTOWN, May 7—What is said to be the most severe electrical storm in years, struck Doylestown, central Bucks County, and other nearby sections last night. A number of buildings are reported struck by lightning, but damage is listed as small.

The storm was accompanied by hail in some areas, but no crop damage is reported. The storm at Easton is listed as "terrific."

In this borough, Kraft's Garage, West State and Lafayette streets, was hit by lightning. The bolt struck a window, destroyed a radio and \$200 worth of stock, although there was no fire. Doylestown Fire Co. was called.

The Wolfe Flaming Mill, Telford, was struck, and the roof damaged, but no fire resulted. An apartment over a garage in Souderton, occupied by the Nari H. Shoemaker family, was also hit. The living quarters were gutted by flames, Souderton Fire Co. being called. Mr. and Mrs. Shoemaker and their three-year-old child were stunned by force of the bolt.

The former Ward-Davis Towel Mill, Perkaskie, now vacant, was struck by lightning, the chimney being knocked off.

### UMPRES TO MEET

The umpires appointed by the managers of the Bristol Suburban Softball League will meet this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in the Diamond Sporting Goods Store, Mill street. The umpires are: James Rue, Charles Klein, Fred Barbeta, Joseph Sagolla, and Eugene Spadaecino.

### TO CONDUCT NOMINATION

Bristol Council, No. 996, Knights of Columbus, will hold a meeting Monday in the K. of C. home, Radcliffe street, at eight p. m. Nomination of officers will be held.

## LATEST NEWS BULLETINS

### THROAT CUT; LOCAL HOTEL PATRON RUSHED TO HOSPITAL

A man registered at the Keystone Hotel as Eugene Howlett was found by one of the hotel employees this morning in his room bleeding profusely. The man's throat, according to police, had been cut by a broken bottle containing a well-known hair-groom. The man's age is given as about 30. He was rushed to Nazareth Hospital, Philadelphia.

### U. S. Naval Forces Withdraw from N. China Base

Shanghai—The Nationalist garrison at Shanghai announced today that American naval forces have withdrawn from their North China base at Tsingtao. The American withdrawal came while the Communists reportedly were launching a determined attack 20 miles north of the city. The garrison communique also announced that Communist troops have ripped a hole in the southwest perimeter of the defenses surrounding Shanghai.

### Miner Crushed in Rock Fall

Wilkes-Barre—The week's fatality list in the State's hard coal fields grew to six today. John Romanoski, 55, of DuPont, employed at Guizor slope in Pittston township, was crushed to death beneath a rock fall shortly before midnight. Another miner, Thomas Roche, 58, of Sugar Notch, died in Wilkes-Barre last night from burns received when a pocket of gas ignited in the Huber Colliery at Ashley. Earlier this week four miners suffocated in a mine fire at a pit in Girardville.

## TRIO HELD WITHOUT BAIL FOR THEFTS IN PENNA. AND N. J.

Given Hearing Before Justice of Peace Horace Cooper, Langhorne

LOOT VALUE, \$10,000

Three Were Arrested in A Cabin at Oxford Valley

LANGHORNE, May 7—Arranged before Justice of Peace Horace A. Cooper, the three men arrested in a tourist cabin at Oxford Valley by the State Police were held without bail for action of the grand jury. It is stated that the three have been involved in robberies in which the loot totaled \$10,000.

Cpl. Charles Jones of the Pennsylvania police gave their names as Frank A. Alligier, 24, of Manville, N. J.; Roland Watson, 32, of Lenoir, N. C.; and Theodore Clark Downs, 32, of Perry street, Trenton.

According to Jones, detainees have been filed against the trio by police of Trenton, Hamilton and Lawrence Townships. He added that Ewing Township was also interested in the case, although this could not be confirmed last night.

Lt. Andrew Delate, investigating for Trenton, said he is certain the men are connected with several unsolved crimes there. He would not name the cases, but did hint that they were "big."

One of the men, Watson, has been identified by Elbert D. MacKenthun of 33 S. Roosevelt avenue, Mercerville, Hamilton Township, as the man who broke into his home on April 21 and made off with about \$500.

MacKenthun had returned home with his wife about nine p. m. and found Watson ransacking the house. They tussled, but Watson broke away and escaped in a waiting car.

The men are said to be connected with at least two other Hamilton entries. Det. John Merryweather is handling the case for the township. Capt. George Wood of Lawrence Township said that two of the men, Watson and Alligier, admitted taking part in a burglary on Brunswick avenue last month that netted them between \$200 and \$300 in cash, checks and jewelry.

The men have been charged with entering the home of Philip Link of Station road, Langhorne, on April



## Breakfast and A Reception Will Follow Morning Wedding

CROYDON, May 7—A 10 o'clock mass this morning united Miss Ada F. Lineman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lineman, Croydon, and Mr. Joseph K. Ryan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ryan, Trenton, N. J., in matrimony. The double ring ceremony was performed in St. Thomas Aquinas R. C. Church with the Rev. Joseph Diamond officiating. Mrs. Russell Dunn was the organist, and Miss Mary Lou Magill, soloist, rendered the hymns "Ave Maria," "Panis Angelicus" and "Oh, Lord I Am Not Worthy."

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was attired in an old-fashioned gown of marquisette and Chantilly lace, illusion neckline outlined with a ruffle of lace, long sleeves ending in a point at the hands, a pointed bodice with a full skirt worn over a hoop with wide ruffles of the lace extending on both sides from the hip to the hemline. Her finger-tip veil, trimmed with lace, was held in place by a crown of lace and seed pearls. White satin slippers were worn, and the bride carried an arm bouquet of white carnations.

The bride was attended by her sisters, Miss Mary Lineman, as maid of honor, and Miss Theresa Lineman, as bridesmaid, the two wearing gowns similar in design of marquisette with shirred bodices and sweetheart necklines, short puffed sleeves and full skirts worn with hoops. Lace mitts and headpiece of matching color completed their costumes, that of Miss Mary Lineman being poudre blue and that of the bridesmaid being pale orchid. Both carried bouquets of mixed flowers with ribbons of rainbow hue.

Mr. Ryan was attended by his brothers, Messrs. William and Paul, as best man and usher.

For the ceremony, the bride's mother wore a navy blue print dress with navy blue accessories. The bridegroom's mother chose a gown of aqua with black accessories. Both wore corsages of white carnations.

Immediately following the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served at the Croydon Fire Co. station to members of the immediate families. A reception is scheduled for this evening for 200 guests.

The bride and groom presented their attendants with marcasite miraculous medals.

For her travelling attire, the bride has chosen a black print dress with green slippers, bag and gloves, white hat with green veil, and a light grey topper. After a short honeymoon trip to New York, N. Y., the newly-married couple will make their home with the bride's parents at New York and Christie avenues.

The bride is a graduate of St. Mark's commercial school, Bristol, and is employed in the office of Aristocrat Narrow Fabric Co., Philadelphia, as a private secretary. The bridegroom, who formerly resided in Bristol, is a graduate of Northeast Catholic high school, Philadelphia, and is employed in the television insulation department of Finckburg's, Trenton, N. J.

### Today's Quiet Moment

By Rev. Bickley Burns Brodhead  
Pastor  
Bensalem Methodist Church

II. Corinthians 4:16: "For though our outward man perish, yet the inward man is renewed day by day."

Our day is beset with more interest in the outward appearance of men than upon their inward thoughts and motivations. Yet what is within the heart and mind of a person really determines his destiny. Use this quiet moment daily to renew "the inward man." Renew faith in God and his revelation to man through the Christ. Renew the ideals that once made you nearer to God's plan for your life. All nature about us renews itself with the glory of spring. Likewise may there be renewed within us the beauty of holiness. "Create a clean heart and renew a right spirit within me, O Lord. Amen."

### In a Personal Way ----

INTERESTING items of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol, their goings and comings. ---

To arrange for publication of wedding, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 836, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony. Engagement announcements must be submitted in writing.

Rev. Paul H. Gleichman, pastor, Zion Lutheran Church, spent Wednesday and Thursday in Gettysburg, attending the annual lectures of Seminary Week at the Lutheran Theological Seminary.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Jason Crum, Pond street, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son on Tuesday in Frankford Hospital, Philadelphia. The baby weighed 7 lbs., 8 oz., and has been named Jeffrey Jason. Mrs. Crum will be remembered as the former Miss Gloria White.

Mrs. Richard Hutcheson, Wood street, is a patient in Nazareth Hos-

### THE NEW BEAUTIFUL

## Ritz Theatre

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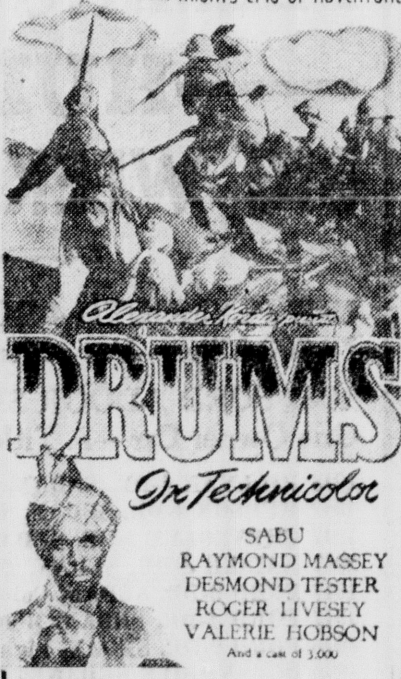
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News, Comedy, Cartoon

pital, Philadelphia, where she was operated upon Wednesday.

Joan Burd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Burd, Jefferson avenue, has been confined to her home with scarlet fever.

Mr. and Mrs. William Doan and Mrs. Harold Loud, Swain street, with Charles Doan, Jefferson avenue, and Mrs. Warner Allen, Edgely, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnson, Collegeville.

Mrs. George Graffner, Bath road, entertained members of her card club Wednesday evening. Prizes were given to Mrs. Charles Quigley and Mrs. Randall Yeagle. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Rufe have left Otter street and are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Townsend, Pennell, before returning to their home at Raubsville.

Mrs. William Hackett, Morrisville, spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Ethel Barr, Harrison street.

Members of the Spanish Club were entertained Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Hans Scheich, Croydon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley K. Berry, Philadelphia, were Tuesday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Berry, Wilson avenue.

Mrs. Mary Mattick, Coatesville, is spending two weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Cranston, Corson street.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Elmer, Garden street, were Monday and Tuesday guests of Mrs. Judson Schroeder, Coatesville.

Mrs. John W. Fraser, Farragut avenue, and Mrs. John A. Fraser and daughter, "Judy", Roosevelt St., have returned home, concluding three weeks' stay with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rowell, at Laurel, Miss.

Harry Gill, of Port Chester, N. Y., on Saturday visited his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gill, Cedar street.

Mrs. Joseph Gerhart, of Fleetwing road, entertained members of the Tele-Stitch Club Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Wilkoski, Winder Village, entertained at dinner on Sunday in honor of their son, James Edward, who had received his first Holy Communion Sunday

morning at St. Michael's Chapel, Torresdale. Guests present were: Mrs. Teofil Ostrowski, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dugan, Miss Diane Dugan, Dennis Dugan, and Ralph Cahall, Bristol; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ejdys and sons, Raymond and Ronald, Strouds-

burg; Mr. and Mrs. E. Kolviski, Philadelphia. The table was decorated in gold with cut flowers and candles as the centerpiece. A social time followed. James received many gifts.

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## LANGHORNE LOSES TO BRISTOL HIGH BY SCORE OF 8 TO 4

LANGHORNE, May 7 — Bristol High remained in a deadlock with Council Rock for first place in the Lower Bucks County League by whipping the Langhorne - Middletown High nine yesterday afternoon, 8-4, on Playwicky field.

"Jimmy" Morrell's pitching arm and the bat and fielding of "Bill" Moll was chiefly responsible for the Warriors' win, their sixth of the season in eight starts.

Morrell had nine strikeouts and gave up five hits to the Langhorne Batsmen. He passed seven but was very tight in the pinches. He was forced to hurl himself out of several holes. Morrell's mates committed five errors behind him.

Now for Moll's part of the afternoon. Bill stepped up to the plate four times and had a triple and pair of singles and reached base on an error. He pulled the field gem of the game in the fifth when he raced to short right field to pull down Herb Kaupp's bid for a hit along the foul line. Then in the same inning he reached over the players' bench to catch Gring's foul with his gloved hand with the bases loaded. He also was credited with the third putout of the frame by catching "Army" Fizzano's high fly.

Bristol took advantage of all the breaks to chalk up their markers. In the first, Marty Braam drew a walk and went to second on a balk. Basco bunted and when an attempt was made to get Braam at third, an error permitted him to score.

Coach Jerry Bloom's team registered again in the second. Joe Dominick cracked out a long triple to the fence in left and stole home for the run. Pindar followed with a hit but was stranded.

A trio of markers boosted the Bristol team's total to five in the third. Basco got on via an error. Barbetta sacrificed him to second. Moll got a hit to left. Rich was intentionally passed, loading the bases. Petrizzi grounded out to Reilly. Basco singled. Dominick's single to center scored two more.

Braam's three-bagger to left, followed by Basco's hit, gave Bristol a run in the fifth, while its final two were made in the sixth. With one out, Braam walked. Basco sacrificed and Braam attempted to reach third. He got there and scored on Kaupp's bad throw. Barbetta hit safely and Moll tripped for the other tally.

Morrell had easy pickings in the first two innings but escaped being scored upon in the third. Kaupp reached second on an error and was sacrificed to third. Tobias walked. On an attempted double-steal, Kaupp was out at the plate. Barbetta to Braam to Barbetta.

Langhorne scored three times in the fifth. Moll failed to hold on to Basco's throw on Kaupp's grounder. Maurer hit to Braam who threw to Basco, but the latter dropped the ball. Both advanced on a passed ball. Tobias struck out. Barbetta picked Kaupp off third base. Reilly and Gring were passed to load the sacks. Fizzano hit to Morrell, who was slow in getting the throw off to first with the result that Fizzano beat it out for a hit, scoring Maurer. Basco bobbed Mongillo's roller and two more runs dented the plate.

In the sixth, Coach Egli's lads did their last scoring. Hofmann singled. Moll made a nice catch to retire Kaupp. Maurer singled to center, scoring Hofmann. Tobias hit safely and Reilly walked to pack the bags. Gruff and Fizzano both fled out to Moll.

Lineups:

	ab	r	h	e	a	e
Bristol	2	3	1	0	2	5
Braam ss	2	1	0	2	2	1
Basco 2b	2	1	1	1	2	0
Barbetta c	3	1	1	1	2	0
Moll 1b	4	1	3	6	0	1
Rich cf	3	1	0	1	0	0
Petrizzi 3b	4	0	0	1	0	0
Dominick rf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Pindar cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Morrell p	3	0	0	1	0	0

Score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Bristol	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Langhorne	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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## COUNCIL ROCK STILL TIED WITH BRISTOL

FALLSINGTON, May 7 — Council Rock is still deadlocked with Bristol for top position in the Lower Bucks County League as the result of "Charlie" Teschner whitewashing the Pennsbury High aggregation, 5-0, yesterday.

Teschner gave the losers but three scattered hits and pitched superbly.

"Bill" Shepard started on the hill for Coach "Bill" Ingraham's team and gave away to "Eddie" Ray in the fifth after Council Rock scored its sixth run. Ray did not permit any more scoring.

"Eddie" Long and Bob Ettenger paced the 11-hit attack of Coach Dominick Sagolia's team with three out of four each.

## BENSALEM NINE GOES INTO THIRD PLACE OF LEAGUE

MORRISVILLE, May 7 — Bensalem Township High went into third place in the Lower Bucks County League with an 8-3 triumph over the Morrisville Bulldogs on the Robert Morris field.

In handling the Bulldogs their second straight setback, the Owls made eight hits with Joe Graziosa and Frank Cantwell getting a pair of hits each.

Both of Graziosa's hits were made in the sixth inning burst of runs by Coach Marion VanHorn's minions. Seven runs went over the dish in this frame and broke a 1-1 tie and gave the Owls the win. The rally also drove "Walt" Bucknum to the showers and brought in "Jim" Ryan. On Tuesday, Bucknum had shut out the Langhorne Redskins.

It was Graziosa who started the fire with a slashing hit to left. He stole second and came home on Cantwell's hit. Cantwell stole and advanced on Bader's out. Ashton was passed. Cantwell scored on a single by Clarence Schmidheiser. Ryan relieved Bucknum for Coach Gordon Davies. King struck out. Smith was safe on an error. Ashton and Schmidheiser scoring. Marshall hit safely and a wild pitch advanced the runners. Oliver rammed out a two-bagger, scoring Marshall and Smith. Graziosa's hit enabled Oliver to count with the seventh run.

Bensalem untangled a scoreless tie with a run in the fourth when Cantwell singled, stole second, went to third while Bader was being tossed out and came home on George Ashton's tremendous blow to left field. Ashton was out trying to stretch the hit into a triple.

Morrisville evened the score in the fifth. Dorsey was passed and Powell ran for him. Powell stole and chalked up the run on Morley's hit.

Bob Marshall held the Morrisville batters to five hits and struck out seven.

Lineups:

	ab	r	h	e	a	e
Bensalem	3	1	1	3	1	0
Oliver 2b	4	1	2	0	0	0
Graziosa ss	4	2	2	2	1	0
Cantwell cf	3	0	0	7	1	0
Bader c	2	1	2	1	0	0
Ashton lf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Schmidheiser 3b	3	0	0	5	0	0
King 1b	1	0	1	0	0	0
Smith rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Marshall p	2	0	1	0	0	0

Score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Bensalem	0	0	0	1	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
Morrisville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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## Past Presidents Honored By Club at Gala Program

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A brief introductory was given by Mrs. Harry T. Neher, who presented Mrs. Ancker as mistress of ceremonies. Each past president had been requested to wear a hat of the period when she served as head of the club.

The gradual growth of the women's club here since 1901 was mentioned by Mrs. Ancker, who read the list of past presidents, namely Mrs. Emilen Martin, 1901-13; Mrs. John Dorrance, 1913-15; Mrs. Emilen Martin, 1915-17; Mrs. Griffith L. Williams, 1917-19; Mrs. William P. McCoy, 1919-22; Mrs. Henry E. Ancker, 1922-25; Mrs. Louis C. Spring, 1925-28; Mrs. Frank Lehman, 1928-31; Mrs. Horace H. Burton, 1931-34; Mrs. Theodore B. Megargee, 1934-35; Mrs. John J. Willaman, 1935-37; Mrs. Earl H. Tomb, 1937-39; Mrs. William DuHamel, 1939-41; Mrs. E. Linton Martin, 1941-44; Mrs. Harry T. Neher, 1944-46; Mrs. David M. Sheerer, Jr., 1946-49.

"Memories" was sung by Mrs. VanSoest (accompanied by Mrs. Carlson) prior to the reading of verses in memory of deceased presidents. Letters from two past presidents, Mrs. Linn, now recovering from a fall, and Mrs. McCoy, living in California, were read by Mrs. Ancker; this being followed by a poem read by Mrs. Neher in tribute to Mrs. Ancker and her regime.

Called to the platform, Mrs. Lehman gave in jingle form outstanding events of her administration, during which a club home was secured. Vocal solo by Mrs. Moyer was "Alice Blue Gown"; her accompanist being Mrs. Dowden. In poetic form it was pointed out how a garden was stressed during the administration of Mrs. Horace H. Burton, the latter then giving credit to Mrs. Lehman for the smoothness with which the club was operating in its new home when Mrs. Burton assumed office. Several members, many now deceased, were recalled by Mrs. Burton who told how much they have meant to the organization.

Listed by the spokesman as "the most talented president" was Mrs. Megargee, who graciously responded. Mrs. Moyer's solo at this point in the program was "Let Me Call You Sweetheart". Mrs. John J. Willaman was represented by the one who served as her vice president, Mrs. Walter Pitzonka. Mrs. Pitzonka read a letter from Mrs. Willaman which recalled outstanding speakers of those days who visited the club, plays staged, etc.

Mrs. Tomb was represented by Mrs. Roy Tracy, who read high-lights of that administration, when stress was given to current events, and a visit arranged to colonial homes of Bucks Co. "My Little Gypsy Sweetheart" was the vocal offering of Mrs. Moyer.

Mrs. Martin, who was unable to attend the meeting, recalled in a letter read by Mrs. Neher, her attendance at the 50th anniversary of the General Federation of Women's Clubs in Atlantic City, N. J. "The

Last Time I Saw Paris" was sung by Mrs. VanSoest. For her term of office Mrs. Neher reminded of the workshop held here, the club being pioneer in this activity in Bristol. Mrs. Sheerer spoke of the heritage of club members because of work of those who have gone before. She promised to retain her hat for the 75th anniversary of the club.

Fitting tribute was paid by Mrs. Emil Metzger to the memory of Miss Mary J. Haines, who had been listed last fall to serve at a hostess yesterday.

Making her way up the aisle, with a hat laden with corsages, little Martha Jean Wright presented one to each of the past presidents or their representatives. Group singing of "Old Lang Syne" concluded the program.

During the brief business meeting, over which Mrs. Goslin presided, John Parella, a Bristol high school pupil, gave information regarding the planned free summer extension course in music. Mrs. Charles Post presented several "Did You Knows" in connection with the "Clean-Up" campaign.

Members were informed that a bus, will leave the club home at 12 noon on May 20th for Bartram's Gardens, Phila., when Dr. Edward E. Wildman will escort them on a tour. Reports of the Bucks Co. Federation of Women's Clubs meetings at Churchville last week were presented by Mrs. Russell W. DeLong and Mrs. Sheerer.

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Churches Feature  
Outstanding Events  
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First Baptist Church  
Walnut and Cedar streets, William E. Hakes, minister; Sunday, 9:45 a. m., Bible School; 11, morning worship, message by the pastor, "God Give Us Christian Mothers"; 6:45 p. m., young peoples meeting, (four age levels); 7:45 p. m., evangelistic service, special music by John Conyers, the pastor will give the second message in a series "Christ Meets Life's Tests," speaking on the subject, "Christ Meets Persecution"; 9:15 p. m., "Sing-a-long."

Monday, eight p. m., monthly meeting of the board of trustees at the church; Tuesday, seven p. m., junior choir rehearsal; Wednesday, eight p. m., annual business meeting of the church, election of officers for the ensuing year will take place and the transaction of necessary business; Thursday, seven p. m., Happy Bible Hour for boys and girls, William Doyle, outstanding young pianist of Philadelphia, will play and give his testimony; Saturday, seven a. m., missionary prayer band; six p. m., deacons' prayer group.

A picnic has been planned for the junior and intermediate departments of the Bible School for May 14th at Pennsbury. The group will leave the church at 12 noon. Take a box lunch. This is in addition to the regular Bible School picnic.

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## A WORD TO HOUSEWIVES

Do you wonder, when you shop for groceries, why certain prices stay high?

We've had two bumper food-crop years. Nearly everything for the table is in abundant supply.

Actually, the situation has eased even more than the figures on American production would show. Europe also has had two good seasons, and is coming much nearer to raising all the food she needs. Our food exports have fallen off. That means still more food available for American families.

Yet wheat products are largely right up to where they were in wartime. Some bakery goods is higher today than when there was a real shortage of flour.

Meats are cheaper, of course. So are some vegetables. Yet other products are high.

How come?

This is a time of the year when ordinarily both butter and eggs are lowest in price. Production runs high at this season. Yet eggs are selling at what used to be considered the fantastic price of 60 to 70 cents a dozen, and butter is about the same per pound.

Now, if you are forced to pay prices like that for foods which normally ought to be selling for twenty or thirty cents less, it is just about the same as if somebody robbed the purse, or tea-cup, or what-have-you that you use to keep your household money in.

When you have to pay unreasonably high prices for food, your allowance doesn't go as far as it should—or you have to use money for food which you ought to have free for other things you need.

Certainly you have a right to know the facts about what makes some of the grocery prices so unreasonably high.

There's no real mystery about it. The facts are easy to find, if you look for them. On the other hand, those who are busy keeping the prices up aren't exactly bragging about it. Their reports are made public, but they show up in the back pages of the big-city newspapers.

We mentioned the subject of butter and eggs, both of which are in very big supply at this season, and yet which are selling at famine prices in the grocery stores.

The answer to these two food prices can be found, if you are interested, in a small item on page 41 of Friday's New York Times.

This dispatch mentions the fact that on May 4, Uncle Sam broke all records since the War by buying up 234,435 pounds of butter in a single day.

Your "servants" at Washington bought at the arbitrary price of 59 cents for Grade A and 57 cents for Grade B. That's the wholesale price, which means a 20 per cent mark-up (roughly) by the time it reaches your hands.

Now, this keeps the butter price high in two ways. First, no one is going to sell his butter for 30 cents, say, if the government is paying 59 and 57 cents. But also, when the government moves in and buys up a surplus, as it is doing in the case of butter, the effect is to turn a bumper crop into a famine.

You don't even get the benefit of whatever savings would result from competition after the wholesale price is fixed. You are a buyer in a sellers' market; you meet the price, or you do without butter.

Exactly the same situation is described in the Times account of the government's meddling with the egg market. The boys at Washington report that already this season they have bought up 119,100,000 dozen eggs, at "pegged" prices having nothing to do either with costs of production nor with supply and demand. Prices on eggs, as paid by Uncle Sam (in competition with you) range upward from 35 cents for general-run ungraded eggs.

Let's look a little further into this question. First, where does the government get the money to buy butter and eggs?

That's easy. It collects it in taxes. YOU PAID YOUR SHARE! Probably you paid a great deal more than you think; many of the taxes are cleverly hidden.

Do you see how that works out? YOU PAY HIGH TAXES TO KEEP YOUR PRICES HIGH!

Another point: a great many people seem to think that this "price-support" business is just a temporary scheme to tide things over till they work themselves back to normal.

Is that so? Certainly not.

Eggs and butter are more plentiful this year, not because there was really a bigger demand for them, but because dairymen and poultrymen thought they had a sure thing in the government's promise to buy up unlimited quantities at fancy prices.

Farmers are drifting away from working for the consumers, and into the business of working for the government.

The longer this keeps up, the bigger it will get. The bigger it gets, the more taxes you will have to pay—and the higher the prices will be (because the price has to cover the taxes of other people involved).

It's a vicious circle. And it's a never-ending process. Once we're in it, we're in it for keeps. There's no handy "getting-off" place. Your great grand-children could be going through this

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## Penndel Council Holds Routine Monthly Session

PENNDL, May 7—The meeting of Borough Council was called to order by the president. Those in attendance included the following: Frank Brelford, John Lappan, Julius Lieblein, Charles O'Brien, Frank Sodano, Burgess Joseph Downing and George Morris were also in attendance.

The street committee reported that it had made a survey of the streets in the borough and considerable patch work will have to be done in the near future.

Visitors for the evening included the following: William McMath, Samuel Sodano and Joseph Diorio. A resolution to adopt the plans submitted by the State for the construction of Bristol avenue was presented. It was moved and seconded to adopt same.

It was moved and seconded to exonerate the tax collector, Alexander Knox, of all outstanding taxes to be remitted for 1948, as of May 31, 1949.

## Fire Apparatus Housing To Take Place Tonight

LANGHORNE, May 7—Many firemen and other residents of Langhorne borough and nearby communities are planning to attend the ceremonies at six o'clock tonight, marking the housing of Langhorne Fire Company fire truck and auxiliary truck.

The highlight of the evening will be the presentation of the trucks by A. Wildman, oldest living fire company president here; with acceptance on the part of Pierson M. Caudy, oldest living Langhorne fire chief. The truck is to officially be housed by George Bilger of William Penn Fire Co., Hultmeville.

J. Leon Wells has prepared a history of the fire company, which appears on souvenir programs, the company dating back to 1829.

Other participants will be: Welcomes, Burgess George Mather and Fire Co. president Russell Pidecock; the Rev. Russell Hummel, former pastor of Langhorne Methodist Church, invocation.

A parade will be part of the ceremony.

## HERE AND THERE IN BUCKS COUNTY TOWNS

### Activities of Interest To All in The Various Communities

### GLEANEED BY SCRIBES

#### NEWPORTVILLE

Mrs. Russell Shoemaker was hostess to the Friendship Club at her home on Wednesday afternoon.

#### TULLYTOWN

Mrs. Victoria Piroli visited her sister in Philadelphia on Tuesday.

#### EDDINGTON

Mr. Vogelmann was removed to Jeanes Hospital, Philadelphia, on Thursday by Bucks Co. Rescue Squad, he having acute appendicitis.

#### CROYDON

Mrs. George Sperling spent Tuesday in Frankford, visiting Mrs. George Spittall.

Mrs. Sally Green, of Bristol, and Mrs. M. Anna Keeley, of Croydon, were Wednesday dinner guests of Mrs. Anna M. Moran.

#### CORNWELLS HEIGHTS

Visitors for a time of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Otto are their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy C. Otto, Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. Benjamin Hughes, Sr., is a patient in Frankford Hospital, Philadelphia, where she will undergo an operation shortly.

Mrs. Herbert Ackman is recuperating nicely from an attack of virus pneumonia.

Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hibbs were Mr. and Mrs. William News, Feasterville.

Mrs. Samuel Howell, Sr., has returned from Abington Hospital.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. William Madden has been greatly improved by application of brick-style shingles.

## CHANGE "CLEAN-UP" COLLECTION DATES

It is announced that there will be but two collection days in Bristol next week by the industrial trucks for aiding in the "Clean-Up" campaign. On Monday, May 9th, trash will be collected in wards 3, 4 and 5; and on Friday, May 13th, trash will be collected in wards 1, 2 and 6. The change is made, it is stated, due to too little material of the type not gathered in the regular trash collections to warrant a truck making a trip each day. If any rubbish of this type is missed, calls may be made to Clyde Waterman, 2323, or Dr. Mary Windus, 6650.

## CHANGES IN SERVICE

Place of funeral service for Raymond S. Miller, Jr., is changed to 542 Bath street, with rites at two p. m., Monday afternoon.

## TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water ..... 11.35 a. m.  
Low water ..... 6.04 a. m.; 6.39 p. m.

## Pays Call; Finds That A Shower is Arranged

CROYDON, May 7—A miscellaneous bridal shower was tendered Miss Rheyra Leary on Wednesday evening by Mrs. Elmer Pickford, sister of the bridegroom-to-be, at her Philadelphia home. Miss Leary, stopping in for a short visit on her way home from a shopping trip, was surprised to find the group gathered in her honor.

A white parasol on the floor covered the gifts. The table centerpiece was a bride doll with wedding bells suspended overhead.

Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. William Gugger and children, Jerry, Arlene and Gene, Croydon; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams, of Neshaminy Falls; Mrs. Karl Leary, Croydon; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pickford and daughters Barbara and Beverly; Mrs. Walter Williams, Robert and Walter Williams, Mrs. William Englehart, Philadelphia.

## ROBERT LANDS HURT WHEN CAR HITS TREE

### Is in Serious Condition in The Nazareth Hospital, Philadelphia

### CRASH AT EDDINGTON

EDDINGTON, May 7—A resident of Newportville road is in serious condition, as the result of an automobile accident which occurred early last evening, according to state police at Langhorne barracks.

The injured: Robert Lands, possible fracture of skull and concussion.

Police state that Lands was driving an automobile east on Bristol Pike when he lost control, ran off the highway, struck a tree and overturned on the property of Samuel Fleming, here. The car was demolished.

The injured was taken to Nazareth Hospital, Philadelphia, by Bucks Co. Rescue Squad.

## Poems and Songs Honor Mothers; Prizes Awarded

TULLYTOWN, May 7—A meeting of Tullytown Home and School League was held in the school house on Tuesday evening with a Mothers Day program arranged. The program was opened with a reading to honor Mothers by Mrs. Walter Strouse; recitations, "Welcome," Harold Swangler; "What I Said," Catherine Delecco; "My Price," Jean Hook; "To Honor Our Mothers," Joan Scancelli; piano solo, Edward Kaiser; "A Wish For Grandma," Alice Keeler; song "Mother," Mary Giberson and Violet Trimble; "Mother's Mother," Mary Ann Green; "My Resolve," Ruth Stake; "Where Is," Arthur Schaffer; "Good Resolutions," Margaret Feehly; "Mothers A Housewife," Rose Ann Termyna; solo, "That Old Irish Mother O Mine," Mrs. Howard Mitchell.

Prizes were given to the oldest mother, youngest mother, mother with the most children in school, mother with birthday nearest to mother's day, mother with youngest child, mother longest residing in Tullytown, and there were many other surprises.

Plans were made for the final lawn of Mrs. Strouse's home, meeting of the season in June, on this will be in the form of a picnic supper at which election of officers will take place.

Each member is asked to make reservations by June 1st.

At the close of the meeting, refreshments of ice cream and cup cakes were served by Mrs. William Swangler, Mrs. John Walterick and Mrs. William Harth. About 40 were present.

## HULMEVILLE

On Wednesday evening, Mrs. Horace Tomlinson will entertain members of her sewing club.

The May meeting of the official board, Neshaminy Methodist Church, will be held on Monday evening at the home of William Gotthardt, Emilie road.

Use Want Ads for Results

## PAST PRESIDENTS HONORED BY CLUB AT GALA PROGRAM

### Outstanding Events of The Regimes Are Recalled in Rhymes

### THE TRAVEL CLUB

#### Former Presidents Wear Hats Suggestive of The Administrative Periods

A profusion of flowers, musical selections of by-gone days, "party" refreshments, rhymes informing of outstanding events during terms of former presidents with charming responses on the part of many of those who had held that office—all combined to make the 18th anniversary and past presidents' day of the Travel Club one long to be remembered.

The gala affair, held in the Travel Club home yesterday afternoon followed a luncheon in which several past presidents participated, and which was served at the Penn Manor Club. Those attending the luncheon, and who hope to make such an annual custom, are: Mrs. E. Linton Martin, Mrs. Harry T. Neher, Mrs. Frank Lehman, Mrs. Theodore B. Megargies, Sr., Mrs. Henry E. Ancker, Mrs. David M. Sheerer, Jr., and the present incumbent, Mrs. Elwood P. Goslin.

Vases of blossoms, in a variety of colors, had been attractively arranged about the club home, while on the platform was an arch of greens and wistaria, through which the participating past presidents or their designated representatives made their entrance, there to hear in poetic style from the lips of Mrs. Henry E. Ancker, information on their term in office, and side-lights on their personalities and talents. Music interspersed the parts, with songs of the periods marked being used. The musicians were Mrs. Claire VanSoest, Mrs. Roland Carlson, Mrs. Donald Moyer and Mrs. Albert Dowden.

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## HIGHLIGHTS, COUNTY SEAT BUDGET, GIVEN

### Calls for 3 Mills Increase in School Tax For 1949-50

### THE TOTAL IS \$282,877

DOYLESTOWN, May 6—Highlights of the 1949-50 budget for Doylestown school district are revealed by supervising principal J. Edward Smith. The budget is expected to be adopted on Monday, May 23rd.

A three mills increase is called for, with per capita tax remaining at \$5.

It is pointed out that by the time the board adopts the budget, directors will know whether legislation will call for increased mandated salary to teachers.

Estimated expenditures call for: General control, \$5,218; instruction, \$190,775; auxiliary agencies and coordinate activities, \$9,650; operation of school plant, \$17,900; maintenance of school plant, \$10,020; fixed charges, \$9,687; debt service, \$12,000; capital outlay, \$27,617; or total expenditures of \$282,877.

Estimated receipts are listed thus: Property tax, \$100,000; per capita tax, \$13,500; delinquent tax, \$200; state appropriation, \$74,500; tuition, \$55,000; miscellaneous, \$3,100; balance from 1948 bond issue, \$21,277. Cash balance at present is given as \$15,300.

Dr. Smith pointed out that the budget will require a tax rate of 25 mills or \$2.50 per \$100 valuation. The present rate is 22 mills.

The assessed valuation is slightly over \$4,000,000.

Major increases in budget over last year for following items: Bonds due, \$5,500.00; salaries and cost of instruction, \$21,775.00; toward joint school for architect and plans, \$12,000.00; use of bus—large part of which will be returned to district, \$2,500.00; replacement of typewriters, obsolete desks, etc., \$2,500.00; improvements to school property if feasible to be paid from bond money on hand, \$9,000.00.

To help meet increased expenditures there will be increases in State aid, \$7,000; tuition, \$5,000; cash balance, \$15,300; balance of 1948 bond, \$21,277.

### STRAUS-PICA

A couple wed at the office of Justice of the Peace Edward Lynn on Monday, returned yesterday from a trip to Washington, D. C. The bride is the former Helen Pica, Lincoln avenue, and the bridegroom, Walter Straus, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Straus. They plan to reside at 407 Mill street.

## Luncheon, Installation And Address Are Enjoyed

The Sisterhood of Ahavath Achim held its annual luncheon at the Warwick Hotel, Philadelphia, on Wednesday Mrs. Herman Silber, retiring president, was the presiding officer. The members enjoyed luncheon and listened to an address by Miss Rosalie Sampson, guest speaker.

Installation of the new officers was the highlight of the afternoon: Mrs. Nathan Grodsky, president; Mrs. Martin J. Hopkins, vice-president; Mrs. Samuel Freedman, recording secretary; Mrs. Bernard Ballow, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Sydney Salloway, treasurer; Mrs. Leon Plavin, representative member.

The keynote of Mrs. Silber's speech concerned the Sisterhood's efforts and accomplishments for the new Bristol Jewish Center.

The luncheon arrangements were in charge of Mrs. Martin J. Hopkins and Mrs. Max R. Seigel.

## VILLAGE HAS CHANGED LITTLE IN 96 YEARS

### Woman At Carversville Nearing the 100 Mark Recalls Old Times

### CIVIL WAR NEWS

CARVERSVILLE, May 7—"I've always been contented."

This seems to sum up one of the reasons for 96 long and happy years for Mrs. Helen Briggs Walton, a native of Gardenville, and who is a resident of this community.

The one getting well up toward the century mark, feels that "People are never satisfied nowadays. Even children seem to have nothing to do."

Mrs. Walton, who moved to Carversville with her parents when she was six years old, recalled that her father farmed "up on the hillside." She added that he used to walk down to the store where her husband many years later was the storekeeper, there to play checkers and talk with other men of the community. During the Civil War she says her father would bring home news about the war, and of the men who had entered the service.

Mrs. Walton remembered that she walked to Cottageville to attend school and, following graduation from there, attended the Excelsior Normal Institute, just around the bend of the road toward Lumberville, until she graduated at the age of 18.

For amusement, "We used to play games and croquet—and I loved to dance." She said, "A floor was laid in the woods up here" she pointed toward Doylestown, "and fiddlers would be brought up all the way from the city. But I didn't dance anymore after I joined church, when I was 19. In those days it wasn't approved—but I did like dancing!" The little old lady smiled like a naughty child.

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### FRED H. HIBBS GRADUATED

Fred H. Hibbs, seaman apprentice USN, son of Mrs. Fred K. Hibbs of Edgely Avenue, was recently graduated from the Enlisted Basic Submarine Course at the Submarine Base, New London, Conn. The purpose of the school is to prepare the students to become members of a submarine crew by giving them a foundation of basic knowledge of the equipment, principles and skills involved in operating a submarine.

## Men Are Waiters As Mothers Are Served

EDDINGTON, May 7—The first mother-daughter banquet was given in Eddington Presbyterian Church house on Thursday evening. The room was attractively decorated with a center of palms and large vases of lilies of the valley. These were illuminated with soft green lights. The settings were arranged for four at each table, with a floral centerpiece on each. Gay paper tablecloths and napkins were used. Each daughter was called forward to receive a corsage which she pinned on her mother or "mother of the evening."

The menu consisted of fruit cup, Waldorf salad, chicken soup, chicken à la Newburg in pattie shells, fresh asparagus, parsley potatoes, sliced tomatoes, deviled eggs, coffee roll and butter, strawberry short-cake with whipped cream. The men served as waiters for their families.

Between courses entertainment was provided. Mrs. Nelson Yewdall gave two amusing narrations. Mrs. Otto Grupp, Jr., led in group singing, accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Sargeant. Miss Sargeant sang "Mother Machree," accompanied by Miss Etta Vansant. The Rev. Arthur D. Sargis called for a rising vote of thanks to those women who had prepared the food for the banquet. It was decided to make such a banquet a yearly function. Mrs. Nelson Yewdall was appointed to head the 1950 event.

A large bell was rung between courses. Each table was provided with an individual bell for summoning the waiter.

Approximately 100 attended.

### Very Severe Storm Strikes Central Bucks

DOYLESTOWN, May 7—What is said to be the most severe electrical storm in years, struck Doylestown, central Bucks County, and other nearby sections last night. A number of buildings are reported struck by lightning, but damage is listed as small.

The storm was accompanied by hail in some areas, but no crop damage is reported. The storm at Easton is listed as "terrific."

In this borough, Kraft's Garage, West State and Lafayette streets, was hit by lightning. The bolt struck a window, destroyed a radio and \$200 worth of stock, although there was no fire. Doylestown Fire Co. was called.

The Wolfe Flaming Mill, Telford, was struck, and the roof damaged, but no fire resulted. An apartment over a garage in Souderton, occupied by the Nari H. Shoemaker family, was also hit. The living quarters were gutted by flames. Souderton Fire Co. being called. Mr. and Mrs. Shoemaker and their three-year-old child were stunned by force of the bolt.

The former Ward-Davis Towel Mill, Perkasie, now vacant, was struck by lightning, the chimney being knocked off.

### UMPRES TO MEET

The umpires appointed by the managers of the Bristol Suburban Softball League will meet this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in the Diamond Sporting Goods Store, Mill street. The umpires are: James Rue, Charles Klein, Fred Barabeta, Joseph Sagolla, and Eugene Spadacino.

### TO CONDUCT NOMINATION

Bristol Council, No. 906, Knights of Columbus, will hold a meeting Monday in the K. of C. home, Radcliffe street, at eight p. m. Nomination of officers will be held.

## LATEST NEWS BULLETINS

## THROAT CUT; LOCAL HOTEL PATRON RUSHED TO HOSPITAL

A man registered at the Keystone Hotel as Eugene Howlett was found by one of the hotel employees this morning in his room bleeding profusely. The man's throat, according to police, had been cut by a broken bottle containing a well-known hair-groom. The man's age is given as about 30. He was rushed to Nazareth Hospital, Philadelphia.

## U. S. Naval Forces Withdraw from N. China Base

Shanghai—The Nationalist garrison at Shanghai announced today that American naval forces have withdrawn from their North China base at Tsingtao. The American withdrawal came while the Communists reportedly were launching a determined attack 20 miles north of the city. The garrison communique also announced that Communist troops have ripped a hole in the southwest perimeter of the defenses surrounding Shanghai.

## Miner Crushed in Rock Fall

Wilkes-Barre—The week's fatality list in the State's hard coal fields grew to six today. John Romanowski, 55, of DuPont, employed at Guzor slope in Pittston township, was crushed to death beneath a rock fall shortly before midnight. Another miner, Thomas Roche, 58, of Sugar Notch, died in Wilkes-Barre last night from burns received when a pocket of gas ignited in the Huber Colliery at Ashley. Earlier this week four miners suffocated in a mine fire at a pit in Girardville.

## TRIO HELD WITHOUT BAIL FOR THEFTS IN PENNA. AND N. J.

### Given Hearing Before Justice of Peace Horace Cooper, Langhorne

### LOOT VALUE, \$10,000

#### Three Were Arrested in A Cabin at Oxford Valley

LANGHORNE, May 7—Arranged before Justice of Peace Horace A. Cooper, the three men arrested in a tourist cabin at Oxford Valley by the State Police were held without bail for action of the grand jury. It is stated that the three have been involved in robberies in which the loot totaled \$10,000.

Cpl. Charles Jones of the Pennsylvania police gave their names as Frank A. Alliger, 24, of Manville, N. J.; Roland Watson, 32, of Lenoir, N. C.; and Theodore Clark Downs, 32, of Perry street, Trenton.

According to Jones, detainees have been filed against the trio by police of Trenton, Hamilton and Lawrence Townships. He added that Ewing Township was also interested in the case, although this could not be confirmed last night.

Lt. Andrew Delate, investigating for Trenton, said he is certain the men are connected with several unsolved crimes there. He would not name the cases, but did hint that they were "big."

One of the men, Watson, has been identified by Elbert D. MacKenthun of 33 S. Roosevelt avenue, Mercerville, Hamilton Township, as the man who broke into his home on April 21 and made off with about \$500.

MacKenthun had returned home with his wife about nine p. m. and found Watson ransacking the house. They tussled, but Watson broke away and escaped in a waiting car.

The men are said to be connected with at least two other Hamilton entries. Det. John Merryweather is handling the case for the township. Township said that two of the men, Watson and Alliger, admitted taking part in a burglary on Brunswick avenue last month that netted them between \$300 and \$300 in cash, checks and jewelry.

The men have been charged with entering the home of Philip Link of Station road, Langhorne, on April 15, and taking \$42 in cash, a movie camera and a gold bracelet; the home of Mrs. Harry Fisher of Langhorne Manor the same night, taking a quantity of old whiskey, and the home of John P. Schuch of Oak avenue, Penndel, on April 30, and taking \$30 cash, \$200 worth of bonds and a radio.

Cpl. Jones added that the men also were wanted in New Hope for a burglary Friday night in which \$1,100 in bonds and a revolver were stolen.

## Jumps Into River To Cool Off; Is Rescued

MORRISVILLE, May 7—At three p. m., yesterday, when the mercury was hitting 91, Francis Ruth, 37, Morrisville RD 1, discarded his clothes on the Delaware river bridge and leaped into the stream.

Persons lined the shores within a few seconds and watched Trenton fire department and Liberty Rescue Squad prepare to go to the rescue.



## Breakfast and A Reception Will Follow Morning Wedding

CROYDON, May 7—A 10 o'clock mass this morning united Miss Ada F. Lineman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lineman, Croydon, and Mr. Joseph X. Ryan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ryan, Trenton, N. J., in matrimony. The double ring ceremony was performed in St. Thomas Aquinas R. C. Church with the Rev. Joseph Diamond officiating. Mrs. Russell Dunn was the organist, and Miss Mary Lou Macmill, soloist, rendered the hymns "Ave Maria," "Panis Angelicus" and "Oh, Lord I Am Not Worthy."

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was attired in an old-fashioned gown of marquisette and Chantilly lace, illusion neckline outlined with a ruffle of lace, long sleeves ending in a point at the hands, a pointed bodice with a full skirt worn over a hoop with wide ruffles of the lace extending on both sides from the hip to the hemline. Her finger-tip veil, trimmed with lace, was held in place by a crown of lace and seed pearls. White satin slippers were worn, and the bride carried an arm bouquet of white carnations.

The bride was attended by her sisters, Miss Mary Lineman, as maid of honor, and Miss Theresa Lineman, as bridesmaid, the two wearing gowns similar in design of marquisette with shirred bodices and sweetheart necklines, short puffed sleeves and full skirts worn with hoops. Lace mitts and headpiece of matching color completed their costumes, that of Miss Mary Lineman being poudre blue and that of the bridesmaid being pale orchid. Both carried bouquets of mixed flowers with ribbons of rainbow hue.

Mr. Ryan was attended by his brothers, Messrs. William and Paul, as best man and usher.

For the ceremony, the bride's mother wore a navy blue print dress with navy blue accessories. The bridegroom's mother chose a gown of aqua with black accessories. Both wore corsages of white carnations.

Immediately following the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served at the Croydon Fire Co. station to members of the immediate families. A reception is scheduled for this evening for 200 guests.

The bride and groom presented their attendants with marquisette medals.

For her travelling attire, the bride has chosen a black print dress with green slippers, bag and gloves, white hat with green veil, and a light grey topper. After a short honeymoon trip to New York, N. Y., the newly-married couple will make their home with the bride's parents at New York and Christie avenues.

The bride is a graduate of St. Mark's commercial school, Bristol, and is employed in the office of Aristocrat Narrow Fabric Co., Philadelphia, as a private secretary. The bridegroom, who formerly resided in Bristol, is a graduate of Northeast Catholic high school, Philadelphia, and is employed in the television insulation department of Finburgh's, Trenton, N. J.

### Today's Quiet Moment

By Rev. Bickley Burns Brodhead  
Pastor  
Bensalem Methodist Church

II. Corinthians 4:16: "For though our outward man perish, yet the inward man is renewed day by day."

Our day is beset with more interest in the outward appearance of men than upon their inward thoughts and motivations. Yet what is within the heart and mind of a person really determines his destiny. Use this quiet moment daily to renew "the inward man." Renew faith in God and his revelation to man through the Christ. Renew the ideals that once made you nearer to God's plan for your life. All nature about us renews itself with the glory of spring. Likewise may there be renewed within us the beauty of holiness. "Create a clean heart and renew a right spirit within me, O Lord. Amen."

### In a Personal Way ----

INTERESTING items of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol, their goings and comings. . . .

To arrange for publication of wedding, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 845, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony. Engagement announcements must be submitted in writing.

Rev. Paul H. Gleichman, pastor, Zion Lutheran Church, spent Wednesday and Thursday in Gettysburg, attending the annual lectures of Seminary Week at the Lutheran Theological Seminary.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Jason Crum, Pond street, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son on Tuesday in Frankford Hospital, Philadelphia. The baby weighed 7 lbs., 8 oz., and has been named Jeffery Jason. Mrs. Crum will be remembered as the former Miss Gloria White.

Mrs. Richard Hutcheson, Wood street, is a patient in Nazareth Hos-

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pital, Philadelphia, where she was operated upon Wednesday.

Joan Burd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Burd, Jefferson avenue, has been confined to her home with scarlet fever.

Mr. and Mrs. William Doan and Mrs. Harold Loud, Swain street, with Charles Doan, Jefferson avenue, and Mrs. Warner Allen, Edgely, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnson, Collegeville.

Mrs. George Graffner, Bath road, entertained members of her card club Wednesday evening. Prizes were given to Mrs. Charles Quigley and Mrs. Randall Yeagle. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Rufe have left their home at Raubsville, Pa., on Saturday and are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Townsend, Pennell, before returning to their home at Raubsville.

Mrs. William Hackett, Morrisville, spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Ethel Barr, Harrison street.

Members of the Spanish Club were entertained Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Hans Scheich, Croydon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley K. Berry, Philadelphia, were Tuesday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Berry, Wilson avenue.

Mrs. Mary Mattick, Coatesville, is spending two weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Cranston, Corson street. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Elmer, Garden street, were Monday and Tuesday guests of Mrs. Judson Schroeder, Coatesville.

Mrs. John W. Fraser, Farragut avenue, and Mrs. John A. Fraser and daughter, "Judy", Roosevelt St., have returned home, concluding three weeks' stay with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rowell, at Laurel, Miss.

Harry Gill, of Port Chester, N. Y., on Saturday visited his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gill, Cedar street.

Mrs. Joseph Gerhart, of Fleetwing road, entertained members of the Tele-Stitch Club Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Wilkoski, Winder Village, entertained at dinner on Sunday in honor of their son, James Edward, who had received his first Holy Communion Sunday

morning at St. Michael's Chapel, Torresdale. Guests present were: Mrs. Teofil Ostrowski, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dugan, Miss Diane Dugan, Dennis Dugan, and Ralph Cahall, Bristol; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ejdys and sons, Raymond and Ronald, Stroudsburg; Mr. and Mrs. E. Kolviski, Philadelphia. The table was decorated in gold with cut flowers and candles as the centerpiece. A social time followed. James received many gifts.

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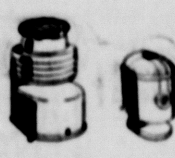
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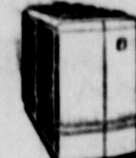
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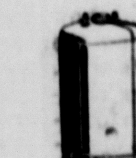
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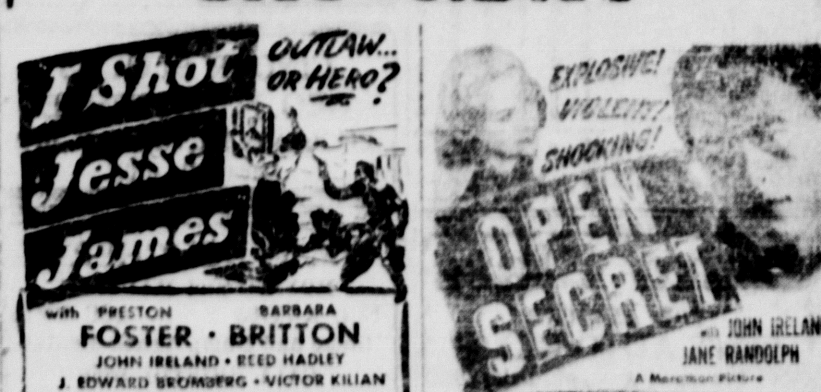


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## LANGHORNE LOSES TO BRISTOL HIGH BY SCORE OF 8 TO 4

LANGHORNE, May 7 — Bristol High remained in a deadlock with Council Rock for first place in the Lower Bucks County League by whipping the Langhorne - Middletown High nine yesterday afternoon, 8-4, on Playwicks field.

"Jimmy" Morrell's pitching arm and the bat and fielding of "Bill" Moll was chiefly responsible for the Warriors' win, their sixth of the season in eight starts.

Morrell had nine strikeouts and gave up five hits to the Langhorne Batsmen. He passed seven but was very tight in the pinches. He was forced to hurl himself out of several holes. Morrell's mates committed five errors behind him.

Now for Moll's part of the afternoon. Bill stepped up to the plate four times and had a triple and pair of singles and reached base on an error. He pulled the field gem of the game in the fifth when he raced to short right field to pull down Herb Kaupp's bid for a hit along the foul line. Then in the same inning he reached over the players' bench to catch Gring's foul with his gloved hand with the bases loaded. He also was credited with the third putout of the frame by catching "Atiny" Fizzano's high fly.

Bristol took advantage of all the breaks to chalk up their markers. In the first, Marty Braam drew a walk and went to second on a balk. Bascio bunted and when an attempt was made to get Braam at third, an error permitted him to score.

Coach Jerry Bloom's team registered again in the second. Joe Dominick cracked out a long triple to the fence in left and stole home for the run. Pindar followed with a hit but was stranded.

A trio of markers boosted the Bristol team's total to five in the third. Bascio got on via an error. Barbetta sacrificed him to second. Moll got a hit to left. Rich was intentionally passed, loading the bases. Pettrizi grounded out to Reilly. Bascio scoring. Dominick's single to center scored two more.

Braam's three-bagger to left, followed by Bascio's hit, gave Bristol a run in the fifth, while its final two were made in the sixth. With one out, Braam walked. Bascio sacrificed and Braam attempted to reach third. He got there and scored on Kaupp's bad throw. Barbetta hit safely and Moll tripled for the other tally.

Morrell had easy pickings in the first two innings but escaped being scored upon in the third. Kaupp reached second on an error and was sacrificed to third. Tobias walked. On an attempted double-steal, Kaupp was out at the plate. Barbetta to Braam to Barbetta.

Langhorne scored three times in the fifth. Moll failed to hold on to Bascio's throw on Kaupp's grounder. Maurer hit to Braam who threw to Bascio, but the latter dropped the ball. Both advanced on a passed ball. Tobias struck out. Barbetta picked Kaupp off third base. Reilly and Gring were passed to load the sacks. Fizzano hit to Morrell, who was slow in getting the throw off to first with the result that Fizzano beat it out for a hit, scoring Maurer. Bascio bobbled Mongillo's roller and two more runs dented the plate.

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## COUNCIL ROCK STILL TIED WITH BRISTOL

FALLSINGTON, May 7 — Council Rock is still deadlocked with Bristol for top position in the Lower Bucks County League as the result of "Charlie" Teschner whitewashing the Pennsbury High aggregation, 5-0, yesterday.

Teschner gave the losers but three scattered hits and pitched superbly.

"Bill" Shepard started on the hill for Coach "Bill" Ingraham's team and gave way to "Eddie" Ray in the sixth after Council Rock scored its fifth run. Ray did not permit any more scoring.

"Eddie" Long and Bob Ettinger paced the 11-hit attack of Coach Dominick Sagolla's team with three out of four each.

## BENSALEM NINE GOES INTO THIRD PLACE OF LEAGUE

MORRISVILLE, May 7 — Bensalem Township High went into third place in the Lower Bucks County League with an 8-3 triumph over the Morrisville Bulldogs on the Robert Morris field.

In handing the Bulldogs their second straight setback, the Owls made eight hits with Joe Graziosa and Frank Cantwell getting a pair of hits each.

Both of Graziosa's hits were made in the sixth inning burst of runs by Coach Marion Vanflorn's minions. Seven runs went over the dish in this frame and broke a 1-1 tie and gave the Owls the win. The rally also drove "Walt" Buckman to the showers and brought in "Jim" Ryan. On Tuesday, Buckman had shut out the Langhorne Redskins.

It was Graziosa who started the fire with a slashing hit to left. He stole second and came home on Cantwell's hit. Cantwell stole and advanced on Bader's out. Ashton was passed. Pettrizi grounded out to Reilly. Bascio scoring. Dominick's single to center scored two more. Braam's three-bagger to left, followed by Bascio's hit, gave Bristol a run in the fifth, while its final two were made in the sixth. With one out, Braam walked. Bascio sacrificed and Braam attempted to reach third. He got there and scored on Kaupp's bad throw. Barbetta hit safely and Moll tripled for the other tally.

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## Past Presidents Honored By Club at Gala Program

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A brief introductory was given by Mrs. Harry T. Neher, who presented Mrs. Ancker as mistress of ceremonies. Each past president had been requested to wear a hat of the period when she served as head of the club.

The gradual growth of the women's club here since 1901 was mentioned by Mrs. Ancker, who read the list of past presidents, namely Mrs. Emlen Martin, 1901-13; Mrs. John Dorrance, 1913; Mrs. Griffin L. Williams, 1914-17; Mrs. Walter Linn, 1917-19; Mrs. William P. McCoy, 1919-22; Mrs. Henry E. Ancker, 1922-25; Mrs. Louis C. Spring, 1925-28; Mrs. Frank Lehman, 1928-31; Mrs. Horace H. Burton, 1931-34; Mrs. Theodore B. Megargee, 1934-35; Mrs. John J. Willaman, 1935-37; Mrs. Earl H. Tomb, 1937-39; Mrs. William Duhamel, 1939-41; Mrs. E. Linton Martin, 1941-44; Mrs. Harry T. Neher, 1944-46; Mrs. David M. Sheerer, Jr., 1946-49.

"Memories" was sung by Mrs. VanSoest (accompanied by Mrs. Carlson) prior to the reading of verses in memory of deceased presidents. Letters from two past presidents, Mrs. Linn, now recovering from a fall, and Mrs. McCoy, living in California, were read by Mrs. Ancker; this being followed by a poem read by Mrs. Neher in tribute to Mrs. Ancker and her regime.

Called to the platform, Mrs. Lehman gave in jingle form outstanding events of her administration, during which a club home was secured. Vocal solo by Mrs. Moyer was "Alice Blue Gown", her accompanist being Mrs. Dowden. In poetic form it was pointed out how a garden was stressed during the administration of Mrs. Horace H. Burton, the latter then giving credit to Mrs. Lehman for the smoothness with which the club was operating in its new home when Mrs. Burton assumed office. Several members, many now deceased, were recalled by Mrs. Burton who told how much they have meant to the organization.

Listed by the spokesman as "the most talented president" was Mrs. Megargee, who graciously responded. Mrs. Moyer's solo at this point in the program was "Let Me Call You Sweetheart". Mrs. John J. Willaman was represented by the one who served as her vice president, Mrs. Walter Pitonka. Mrs. Pitonka read a letter from Mrs. Willaman which recalled outstanding speakers of those days who visited the club, plays staged, etc. Mrs. Tomb was represented by Mrs. Roy Tracy, who read high-lights of that administration, when stress was given to current events, and a visit arranged to colonial homes of Bucks Co. "My Little Gypsy Sweetheart" was the vocal offering of Mrs. Moyer.

Mrs. Martin, who was unable to attend the meeting, recalled in a letter read by Mrs. Neher, her attendance at the 50th anniversary of the General Federation of Women's Clubs in Atlantic City, N. J. "The

Last Time I Saw Paris", was sung by Mrs. VanSoest. For her term of office Mrs. Neher reminded of the workshop held here, the club being pioneer in this activity in Bristol. Mrs. Sheerer spoke of the heritage of club members because of work of those who have gone before. She promised to retain her hat for the 75th anniversary of the club. Fitting tribute was paid by Mrs. Emil Metzger to the memory of Miss Mary J. Haines, who had been listed last fall to serve at a homeless yesterday.

Making her way up the aisle, with a hat laden with corsages, Little Martha Jean Wright presented one to each of the past presidents or their representatives. Group singing of "Old Lang Syne" concluded the program.

During the brief business meeting, over which Mrs. Goslin presided, John Parella, a Bristol high school pupil, gave information regarding the planned free summer extension course in music. Mrs. Charles Peet presented several "Did You Know?" in connection with the "Clean-Up" campaign.

Members were informed that a bus will leave the club home at 12 noon on May 20th for Bartram's Gardens, Phila., when Dr. Edward E. Wildman will escort them on a tour. Reports of the Bucks Co. Federation of Women's Clubs meetings at Churchville last week were presented by Mrs. Russell W. DeLong and Mrs. Sheerer.

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ers" will be honored; a flower will be presented to each mother present; sermon by Rev. Charles Weller "The Biggest Job in the World"; anthem by the choir, "A Shrine within My Heart" (Shibley) with solo by Mrs. Arthur Peterson; tenor solo, "That Wonderful Mother of Mine" (Goodwin) by Edwin Ballinger; organ selections by Miss Winifred V. Tracy; prelude "Always Think of Mother" (Stafford), offertory "Mother" (Romberg), postlude "Our Mother's Day" (Weaver).

6:30 p. m., Intermediate and Young People's Fellowship and discussion meetings; 7:45, evening fellowship of song, "Sing" of the "Hymns that Mother Loves"; special music, a sound-film message, organ selection by Miss Tracy; prelude "Dear Little Mother" (Dale), offertory "Mother's Evening Song" (Malloy), postlude "Home and Mother" (Holmes).

Monday, annual mother-daughter banquet by Mrs. William Mohr's Sunday School class at the Penn Manor Club, 6:30 p. m.; Wednesday, opening sessions of Philadelphia annual conference of the Methodist Church in Ashbury Methodist Church Allentown; Thursday, Girl Scout meetings, 6:30 to nine p. m.; choir rehearsals at eight.

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